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1. Following the reorganization of the nationalized plants, the shipyard in Wisnar was placed under the control of the Ministry of Engineering during the last week of February 1951. The Vereinigung Volkseigener Betriebe, Hochseeschiffbau, (Nationalized Plants, Construction of Seagoing Ships) (VVB HSB) now acts only in an advisory capacity with regard to the Schiffswerft Wisnar.

2. The organization is now as follows:

A. Ministry of Engineering/Main Administration, Shipbuilding.

Manager

Zillgitt

(1) Sub-section Shipyards (Warnow Shipyard in Warnemuende, Wismar Shipyard and Rostock Diesel-Engine Works)

Biedermann

(2) VVB HSB Tarnemuende

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Manager

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Commercial Manager

Topps

Investment Manager

Garnoke

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(3) Schiffswerft Wisnar SHW

Manager

Dreuse

Commercial Manager

Koppelin

Investment Manager

Schlegel

Key positions in the investment sections are held by Kruegel and Steyrer.

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